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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.
Blue flame oil stoves. Holloway Bros.
All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.
Mrs. L. J. Davis was a passenger on Thursday.
John Carter was a passenger to San Antonio Thursday.
Buy your filtered gasoline from McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
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Winter Green was a visitor to San Antonio Thursday.
Mrs. Lenora Schmidt is at home from a stay in San Antonio.
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Buy your tires now. Use Goodyear Diamond Tires. City Garage.
Winchester Remington ammunition just received. C. R. Gaines. 8
Thinking of buying, selling or trading car, call 199 or visit City Garage.
Reward for return to Dr. B. R. 1t
Use us for all kinds of garden just arrived. Phone 200. L. 46
Richter, one of our soldier was here Sunday on a visit to his friends.

Lawn mowers. Holloway Bros.
Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.
Weeding hoes and files. Holloway Bros.
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richter were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.
R. W. Richter and son, Carl, were passengers east yesterday.
P. L. Crain, the druggist, was a visitor to San Antonio Saturday.
Mrs. Ed. de Montel was an Alamo City visitor the first of the week.
Mrs. H. B. Laughinghouse went to Belmont yesterday on a visit to her mother.
Mrs. M. Terrell, after a visit here of some two weeks, went to San Antonio Wednesday.
A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.
Mrs. F. Hoeften, after a visit to Mrs. C. M. Davis, returned to her home in San Antonio Tuesday.
Buy your tires at City Garage. Satisfaction and courteous treatment assured. We appreciate your patronage. 46
Miss Hattie Lee Brewster of San Antonio came out for the Allen Merriman wedding Thursday and was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Merriman.

Allen-Merriman.

The marriage of Miss Annie Merriman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merriman, and Mr. Ralph Gordon Allen was solemnized Thursday morning at the home of the bride's brother, Henry Merriman, the Rev. Winter Green of the Baptist church officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Henry Merriman, and was attended by Miss Hattie Lee Brewster, of San Antonio, as maid of honor, and Misses Fannie Carle and Della Peters as bridesmaids. The bridegroom's attendant was Mr. Volney Peters. Just before the entrance of the bride party Mrs. Horace Bradley sang "I love thee truly", and during the ceremony sweet strains of the "Flower Song" were played by Miss Dee Crow, who also played the wedding march.

The bride wore a costume of grey duchess satin and georgette crepe, with grey hat and accessories, and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and sweet peas. The bridesmaids and maid of honor wore navy blue satin dresses and carried arm bouquets of Regina Corona and ferns.

The living room, where the ceremony was performed, was simply and prettily decorated with potted ferns and cut roses, carrying out a color scheme of green and white.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served to the bride party and guests after which the happy couple, amid a shower of rice and congratulations, boarded the 9:35 train for a short bridal trip to eastern points. As the bride took her departure, she threw her bouquet among the assembled guests and it was caught by Miss Della Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen will make their home in San Antonio where Mr. Allen has a lucrative position with the S. P. Railway Co.

Lee Ward was up from Yancey Wednesday and called at this office.

Geo. E. Graff was in town Tuesday and was a caller at this office.

Henry Butts was here Tuesday and dropped into the Anvil Herald office.

John Bohlen, of the Dunlay section, visited the county seat last Friday and was a caller at this office.
Fletcher Davis came in Thursday morning on the Boll Weevil after an absence of a month, campaigning in Central Texas in the "cotton holding" movement.

Car lot shipments received here during the week were two of coal, three of hay, one of flour, one of beer, one of oats and one of mixed feed. Shipments from this place were one car of horses, two cars of hogs and two cars of wood.

Gus Batot and Ed. Cameron, who are employed in San Antonio, were here on a visit to homefolks and friends Sunday. They returned to the city Monday, declaring that Sunday was entirely too short and came only half often enough.

Tablets and pencils have been placed at both drug stores. Anyone knowing news of interest to our soldier boys are invited to drop in and jot it down. These tablets will be taken up once every month and the ladies of Hondo will make copies of same and send to our soldier boys.

George Heath, who was well known to the people here some fifteen years ago, came in from Dallas Monday night on a visit to his brother, L. E. Heath, and family. He left Tuesday morning for San Antonio where he entered a hospital and was operated on for appendicitis. His brother, L. E. Heath, went to the city Tuesday night to be with him for awhile.

Rev. J. W. Long is in Corpus Christi this week attending the annual conference of the Methodist Church. He went by Cotulla and took the old veteran of the Methodist ministry, Rev. Mr. Woods, to Corpus Christi with him. Rev. Mr. Long being absent there will be no preaching service at the Church Sunday. All the other services, however, will be conducted at the usual hours.

A. J. Durham, District Deputy Grand Master, passed through here Thursday en route to Yancey and Devine on an official visit to the Masonic Lodges of those places. While out on different business at this time, Mr. Durham is a candidate for Representative from the 116th District and expects to make a thorough canvass of the district soon. Long residence in the district and close observation and study of the conditions and needs of the state have eminently qualified him for the position he seeks.

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For Sale or Trade—A piano, good as new. Alex E. Tondre, Castroville, Texas. 10-tf

The Mexican school opened here last Monday with Miss Jennie Mae Dowdy as teacher.

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A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Neuman, Wednesday, October 17th. Mother and child are doing well.

Cotton shipments up to Thursday night were 1,040 bales for this season. Up to the same period last year they were 3,877 bales.

STRAYED.—Brown mare mule, branded W on left jaw; gone about a week. Finder notify Tom Carter, Phone 61 F 4. 8-tf.

E. R. Finck and family of West Junction arrived Thursday and will make their future home here. — Spoford Cor., Uvalde Leader-News.

Plants for Sale: Cauliflower, per doz., 20 cents; Winter Cabbage, per doz., 15 cents. Out of town orders must include postage. Mrs. H. B. TAYLOR. 7

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster. Bargain in used car—good tires, lots of power. Can be used for truck. Call and see it at City Garage. Horace M. King.

There will be services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday by Rev. Plack. Morning service at 11:00 o'clock; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody invited.

LOST—Two cows, one a big white cow and the other a jersey. The jersey was branded on right hip with the letter S and had a strap on horns. Finder will please notify CHARLES M. DAVIS

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

A nine-pound boy was born to Dr. and Mrs. E. Schulze at Shiner Monday, October 15th. Mrs. Schulze will be remembered here as Miss Mary Emma Holloway, a frequent visitor to her sister, Mrs. H. J. Meyer.

The time in which you can renew your subscription at the old price of \$1.00 a year expires with the last day of October. Better hurry and take advantage of it.

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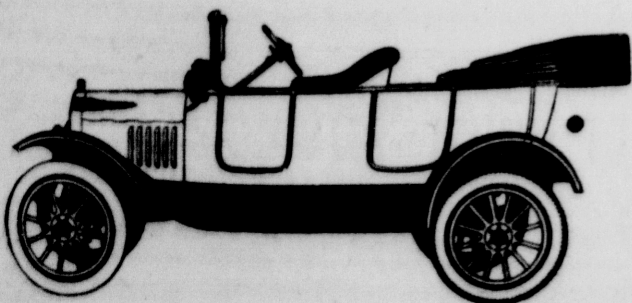
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Mrs. R. E. Reynolds and children took the train to D'Hanis Thursday to visit Mrs. Reynolds' mother there.

Mrs. Oscar Richarz returned to Sabinal Wednesday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Leinweber.

W. J. Wheeler, Sr., after a visit of a few days to W. J. Wheeler, Jr., and family, left for San Antonio Wednesday.

Cards are out announcing the arrival of B. Frank Harrison, Jr., on October 15, 1917, born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harrison.

Rev. and Mrs. Siceoff passed through here Monday en route from Yancey to the annual conference at Corpus Christi.

For Sale—A limited number of Cornish Indian Game cockerels at two dollars each. First come, first pick. Mrs. Fletcher Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mechler and children were here Sunday from Lacoste the guests of county treasurer and Mrs. J. J. Drottourt and family.

Emil Barth was in town Saturday and paid this office a business call. Mr. Barth and family have gone to Bandera county where they expect to make their home.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.

After November 2nd all letters will require a 3c stamp, and all post cards and drop letters will require 2c stamps. Even postage has gone up as a result of the great war.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis.

Mrs. A. E. Neuman and children went to San Antonio Wednesday where they will join Mr. Neuman and make their home in the future. Mr. Neuman went to the city several days in advance to prepare for their coming.

FOR RENT OR SALE—100 acres, 60 in cultivation, balance in pasture. Known as the Elizabeth Tampeke place. Good house and out houses, splendid well water; about 200 yards from school. Apply Emil Britsch, at Court House.

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Manager J. B. Hurt at Hondo states that Vice-president J. E. Farnsworth of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company announced today that he was advised that the American Tel. & Tel. Co. and its associate companies forming the Bell System, of which the Southwestern Tel. & Tel. Co. is a part, announces that a subscription on behalf of themselves and their employes in the sum of five million dollars had been made to the second Liberty Loan Bonds and that the subscription will be allotted to localities for sections of the country in proportion to the quota assigned by the Treasury Dept. to the various Federal Reserve Districts. Under this announcement each Dist. will get credit for its proportionate share of the total sum. The actual subscription will be made in each locality by the associated company operating in such locality.

J. T. HORGER

Has a new pair hand-made Boots, about No. 8's for sale.

Also three Cotton Mattresses for sale.

And wants to Buy ten or fifteen loads of good wood.

District Court.

District Court convened for the Fall term at this place, Monday, October 15, Judge R. H. Burney presiding. The state was represented by District Attorney L. J. Brucks, and the usual officers of the court were in attendance.

The following Grand Jury was empaneled: S. P. Childress, W. S. Lilly, Isaac Wilson, Jack M. Fusselman, H. F. Wurzbach, C. W. Williams, W. B. Hardeman, A. A. Rothe, Hy. Decker, L. A. Haby, Frank Keller, and John Muennink.

H. F. Wurzbach was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury and the following bailiffs were appointed: J. H. Henderson, Emil Boehle, C. C. Rogers, and Will Breien.

On October 16th the Petit Jury for the first week was empaneled as follows: August J. Leinweber, Henry Faserer, D. W. Short, Louis R. Gross, Horace Bradley, L. R. Neuman, D. L. Williams, A. E. Saathoff, A. J. Grim-singer, Frank Wolff, Aug. M. Koch, J. E. Blackaller, H. B. Laughinghouse, S. G. Wilson, G. C. McAnelly, Emil Grell, V. P. King, C. M. Thompson, E. W. Balzen. The Petit Jury was discharged the first day, as only non-jury cases were to be tried. The Criminal Docket was set for Monday, October 22nd.

J. A. Baker et al., receiver of I. & G. N. R'y. vs. Joe Ney, Tax Collector, et al., suit to prevent collection of intangible taxes, continued by agreement.

Fred Reinhardt vs. Dan Polk, trespass to try title. Passed to await mandate. John B. Yeager vs. Southern Security Co. et al., suit for damages. Plaintiff takes a non-suit on representation by Defendants that they will settle and pay costs incurred.

L. A. W. Nixon vs. G. H. & S. A. Ry., suit for damages. Continued by agreement.

Mrs. A. L. Ray, et al., vs. J. H. Bright Administration, suit on specific performance of contract. Continued by agreement.

Albert Lutz vs. Julia Lutz, divorce. Dismissed for want of prosecution. Ollie Perkins vs. Alvin Perkins, divorce. Plaintiff takes a non-suit.

Mrs. Grace Frysinger vs. Chas. E. Burrell, et al., suit for partition. Passed until 2nd week.

State vs. Elmer Brown, defaulting witness. Continued for service.

J. D. Crenshaw, trustee, vs. Frank H. Carson, suit on note and to foreclose lien. Judgment by default and for foreclosure of lien.

Mary E. Neuman vs. Thos. J. Neuman, divorce. Divorce granted and custody of child given to plaintiff.

R. M. Skinner, guardian, et al., vs. Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co. and J. F. Bader, Sheriff, suit for injunction. Judgment for plaintiff.

Louisa Heyen vs. Henry J. Heyen, suit for divorce. Defendant takes a non-suit.

Maggie Hardt vs. John A. Hardt, suit for divorce. Judgment as prayed. Ex-Parte James A. Howel Jr., removal of disabilities of minor. Judgment as prayed for.

Lacoste National Bank vs. Mack Kercheville, suit on note (two cases). Passed pending settlement.

Fritz Stiegler vs. Elgin Stiegler, et al., minors, suit for partition. W. N. Saathoff, John G. Brucks and Willie Saathoff appointed a Commission to partition lands in controversy.

J. H. Bright, Administrator, vs. J. F. Burns, suit on note. Continued for service.

The Grand Jury remained in session only three days, being discharged Wednesday. Only one bill of indictment was found by it—State vs. Charles L. Saathoff, charged with murder. Mr. Saathoff was released on a \$2500 bond.

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Hondo Public School Notes.

The Uvalde Foot Ball Team met the Hondo Team on the local gridiron Saturday, Oct. 13th. They played a fast game, but hardly fast enough for the Hondo bunch. At first it seemed as if the game would be a hard earned one, but Uvalde must have become excited, for Hondo began scoring and kept scoring, while all Uvalde could do when they were in possession of the ball was to lose it again. At the end of the game the score stood, 50 to 0, in favor of "the winning team."

In honor of the Uvalde boys, the foot ball boys entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Short. Part of the Uvalde crowd was unable to stay but those who were fortunate enough to enjoy the hospitality of the Hondo boys, were not sorry of it. The evening was spent in playing progressive "forty-two" and "bunco". Music was furnished by several of the young ladies of Hondo. The Uvalde boys expressed their intention of leaving early, as they had a long way to go; so at about ten o'clock delicious punch and cake was served. After the Uvalde boys had left, several games of forty-two and bunco were played and then came the departure. Every one enjoyed the evening very much.

The junior foot ball team is arranging for a game with the Yancey juniors, but have not yet set a date.

Since last report eight new pupils have enrolled in the primary grade and two past graduates have come back to school.

John Carter is reported to have joined the U. S. navy. He is one of our best foot ball players and a good sport. We are wishing him good luck.

Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse donated the following books to the school library: "Life of William E. Gladstone", "War in Cuba", "War in the Philippines".

Prof. Winkerson advises the boys to go slow—down the steps.

REPORTER.

Another Airplane Visit.

Majors Barwell and Heard, the former in command of airplane No. 190 and the latter in command of plane 303, paid Hondo a visit about noon last Sunday and stayed here something over an hour. As on their previous visit, the town was soon depopulated, people hurrying to the landing place—the Schmitt farm, about one-half mile southwest of town—in every imaginable vehicle. As the planes arrived just as the congregations of the various churches were dismissed the people hurried to "Hondo's aviation field" and soon the planes were surrounded by hundreds of people from every walk of life, all interested in inspecting the aircraft at close range. The planes that visited us Sunday and those that stopped here the previous Sunday en route to Eagle Pass, while not exactly the same kind of machines, neither type belonged to Uncle Sam's fighting aircraft, these machines being merely pleasure and despatch carrying craft. After staying here for something more than an hour the aviators again took to the air and after rising to heights of 5,000 or 6,000 feet gave exhibitions of "loop the loop," "tail spin" and a few other stunts that thrilled the spectators before flying off in the direction of San Antonio. They promised, however, that they would pay Hondo another visit before a great while but said it was impossible to say just when, as they did not know themselves until a few minutes before starting.

Seventy-fifth Anniversary.

On Sunday, October 4th, a large number gathered at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Enderle, the occasion being her birthday; she was very much surprised.

There were forty one present, all her children and grand-children with the exception of one grandson, Edward Enderle, who is in the navy, now stationed at Brooklyn, New York. Those present were: her sister, Mrs. Margaret Koch, Joe Enderle and family, John Enderle and family, Chas. Hubbards and family, and Mrs. Regina Mueller and children of D'Hanis, Chas. Filleman and family, and Frank Stiegler of Hondo, Fritz Russi and family and Hy. Russi and children of San Antonio. All enjoyed the day very much. All departed wishing grandma many more happy returns of the day. (Contributed.)

Senior Epworth League.

Oct. 21, 1917.
Leader, Miss Irene Hudspeth.
Subject: "Ministering to Christ."
Song: "Rescue the perishing."
Sentence prayers.
Responsive reading, Matt. 25, 31-46.
Song: "A little bit of love."
Special music, Miss Annie Callahan.
Introductory remarks by leader.
Reports of actual work done by the Second Department committees.
Talk: "What We Can Do," Miss Gladys Newton.
Talk: "Ministering to Christ through the Red Cross," Mrs. Liles.
Song: "Help somebody to-day."
Announcements.
Benediction.
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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, OCTOBER 19, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Haby arrived in our town from their ranch, Medina Lake, last Tuesday, on a visit to relatives and friends here and vicinity. Mr. Haby presented us with some as fine specimens of pears (raised by him) as we ever saw. One of them tipped the scales at 1 1/2 pound. Who can beat it?

Judge R. J. Noonan and County Clerk S. A. Jungman were business visitors at Castroville, Riomedina, and Cliff Wednesday.

County Commissioner J. B. Ney and Pete Koch, of D'Hanis, passed through here Wednesday, en route to San Antonio.

Messrs. Rud. Fosh, Simon B. Heath, and Louis Biry, of Biry, passed through here Wednesday, en route to San Antonio to see the soldier boys.

Burger Brothers passed through from Bader Settlement with a bunch of mixed cattle for the San Antonio markets.

A valuable work horse of Mr. Wm. Kahn was killed by the railroad, near Pearson, one day this week.

Frederick Haass and family moved from our town Thursday to the Leona, near San Antonio, where he will embark in farming. Success to them.

Louis J. Bendele, one of our enterprising truck farmers of French Settlement, marketed some fine watermelons, cantelopes and snap beans here last week. Though Mr. B. installed his irrigation plant July 3, you may find anything you wish in the vegetable line from a roasting ear to an okra, and not to omit a patch of red top sargham, planted especially for molasses, some of which is ten feet in height. Who dares say, it doesn't pay to irrigate?

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Geiger, of Lower Medina, on Monday, October 8, a son.

Harry Hans marketed a truck load of calves at San Antonio one day this week.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Santleben was christened at the Lutheran Church here Sunday. The names given the little Miss were Josephine Julia, with Mr. George Etter and Miss Rosa Weber as sponsors. Rev. Walter Kralik officiated.

Messrs. Wm. F. and Jos. Naegelin Jr. and Wm. Rihn were Alamo City business visitors Monday.

Mrs. L. M. Ahr and daughter, Miss Phillipina, returned one day last week from an extended visit to kinsfolk and friends at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schott, and baby, were here from Devine during the week.

Robert and Joe J. Rihn were Alamo City visitors Friday.

Mrs. Robert Tschirhart is spending several days in San Antonio.

Mrs. Cornelia Noonan of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. George Noonan here during the week.

Mrs. Paul Tondre and sister, Frieda, were shopping here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Echte, and children, from Saus were here Thursday shopping.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. B. Haegelin and little daughter, of Yellow Banks, were shopping here Friday.

Henry Wurzbach, Arthur Schuchart, and Jack Stein were here Saturday from Cliff on their way to D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haby and two children of Dunlay spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children, of Dunlay, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinle and family here Sunday.

John Rihn of Camp Travis spent Sunday here with home folks.

Mr. Chas. Wurzbach and son, Edwin, of Loma Alta Ranch were here Saturday.

Mrs. F. Lieber and children of Uvalde are the guests of Mrs. G. Karm and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn of Hondo spent Friday and Saturday with Prof. and Mrs. C. E. Winn.

Mrs. Parrott and son, Paul Kempf and Miss Florence Biediger, spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rihn and little grandson, Lloyd Robert Rihn, and W. Rihn Jr. and Miss Helen Jungmann accompanied John Rihn to Camp Travis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ney and daughters, Misses Della and Marguerite, of Hondo, spent Sunday here with Mesdames Theresa Ney and Henry Steinle.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, and Miss Melanie Huesser, motored to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis P. Haby and Miss Ada Haby of Riomedina were shopping here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach and family of Cliff spent Sunday here.

Quite a number of young folks attended the Tacky Dance at Lacoste Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Breiten of Hondo visited Mr. and Mrs. Stewart here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart and Mr. Chas. Wurzbach were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wurzbach Sunday.

Oscar Wurzbach of Camb Travis spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wurzbach.

Joe Haegelin of Camp Travis spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haegelin Sr.

Mrs. Joe Hueaser returned to Hondo Friday after a week's visit here.

Mrs. Jos. Mehr returned to her home in Bader Settlement the first of the week after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Burrell.

For Chapped Skin.

Chapped skin whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unequalled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by all dealers.

GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS A SKIN WHITENER

How to make a creamy beauty lotion for a few cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whiter and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.

Advocated Better Prices for Cotton.

The agricultural department of the state is doing all in its power to help the farmer to receive a better price for his products. Last Monday, two of the representatives of this department, Judge Ed. R. Kone and Mr. Fletcher Davis, addressed a small audience of farmers in this city. It is unfortunate that so few were out to hear them, as they brought a message of vital interest to every man in the state. The day being the first Monday, and the first of the month also, many could not leave their business to hear the message that was brought to them.

Both speakers showed the necessity of a sane method of marketing the staple crop of Texas. Neither advocated the holding of cotton to the detriment of creditors, but pointed out the way to keep the cotton off the market, and at the same time procure the money to discharge their obligations by using the cotton as security for loans. The banks are willing to advance money to the farmers for this purpose, and the state warehouse law is the basis for making these loans secure. Of course no bank is willing to advance money on cotton lying in your yard, stated the speakers, but if placed in a warehouse, and insured, it at once becomes the best security for loans.

The state warehouse law will enable the farmer to systematically market his cotton, thus being able to sell when the price is best. While the price of cotton this year has been the highest known since the civil war, yet many sold for 20 cents, while at the present time cotton is bringing 26 cents. This extra six cents would be greatly appreciated if the producers had received it. Instead, the man who has not exerted an ounce of effort, is the beneficiary of the labor of the producer.—Groesbeck Journal, Oct. 5th.

Mrs. Smith Recommends Chamberlain's Tablets.

"I have had more or less stomach trouble for eight or ten years", writes Mrs. G. H. Smith, Brewerton, N. Y. "When suffering from attacks of indigestion and heaviness after eating, one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets have always relieved me. I have also found them a pleasant laxative." These tablets tune up the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. If you are troubled with indigestion give them a trial, get well and stay well. For sale by all dealers.

Cliff Happenings.

Our esteemed friends, Judge Noonan and County Clerk Jungman, of Hondo, were "talking Liberty Bonds" at Cliff yesterday. It's quite a pleasure to realize that our county-heads take such great interest in this great cause. Now, suppose we all show our patriotism by taking part in the scheme. I think it a good investment and at the same time we can help win the war.

E. J. Schott, the big merchant of Redwing, came over this morning. He and our saloonist, Lee Shuchart, went to the Alamo City in the latter's truck to get a load of provisions for the Redwing store.

Messrs. Raymond and Archie Schuchart and Alex Belzung attended a dance in the big city Saturday last.

To E. B. Haegelin happened quite a painful accident last Saturday. While he and his Mexicans were cleaning away some brush from his pecan bottom his left eye came in contact with a broken off limb which scratched about half way through the cover directly over the eye ball. Dr. Gwinn of San Antonio treated the eye, and from last heard was doing nicely.

A READER.

Sour Stomach.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, abstain from meat for a few days and in most cases the sour stomach will disappear. If it does not, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. Red meats are most likely to cause sour stomach and you may find it best to cut them out. For sale by all dealers.

Council of Defense.

In pursuance of its announced purpose to see that all available lands in Medina County are planted and cultivated during the coming year, the Council of Defense for Medina County, at its last regular meeting established a bureau for the purpose of bringing landlord and tenant together for their mutual benefit and for the benefit of the nation.

Landlords desiring tenants are requested to furnish the secretary with a description of the lands they have for lease or rent, together with its location, terms of rental, and such other data, as will give a prospective tenant a fair idea of the place.

Persons desiring to rent farms are also requested to communicate with the secretary, stating the quantity of land desired, as well as giving such information as will enable the secretary to make selections from the lands listed with him.

By having full and explicit data and information from both landlords and prospective tenants the work of the bureau will be greatly facilitated.

An effort will also be made to secure farm laborers where they are needed. In this the council will have the assistance of the State Department of Agriculture, through Mr. T. N. Lee, the county agent.

No charge will be made for these services. The press of the county and the citizens generally are requested to assist the Council in this important undertaking, which means so much to the County, State and nation.

L. J. BRUCKS, Secretary.
Hondo, Texas, Oct. 13, 1917.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Reliable.

After many years' experience in the use of it and other cough medicines, there are many who prefer Chamberlain's to any other. Mrs. A. C. Kirstein, Greenville, Ill., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my mother's home and mine for years, and we always found it a quick cure for colds and bronchial troubles. We find it to be the most reliable cough medicine we have used." For sale by all dealers.

Letter from College Station.

College Station, Texas,
Oct. 11, 1917.

My dear Mr. Davis:

I wish to ask you to send "The Herald" in care of "Co. E, 2nd R.I." instead of Shirley Hotel.

Again I want to express my appreciation for your promptness and regularity in sending the paper to me. I am always anxious to read its contents. They are from "Home". I certainly enjoy the High School Columns. I will always remember the pleasant times I spent preparing to come here. I envy the football boys the enjoyable times they will have this season.

I must speak a word for A. & M. This College has a bad reputation for its treatment of freshmen students, which will be hard to grow out of, but President Bizzell is certainly making a change in this respect. There are several old students now who are in danger of being dismissed from school on account of mistreating "Fish". Knowing that you are connected with State Agricultural interests I would ask that you take advantage of every opportunity to speak a good word for A. & M.

With best regards,
J. C. HORGER.

Croup.

If your children are subject to croup get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and when the attack comes on be careful to follow the plain printed directions. You will be surprised at the quick relief which it affords. For sale by all dealers.

Sabinal Sentinel Sightings.

Messrs. A. J. Durham and Jacob Reinhart made a trip to Medina County yesterday.

Mr. Joseph Reilly and family left last Thursday for San Antonio where they will make their home. Their many friends regret to see them leave Sabinal.

A fine boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Isidor Marks last Friday. Mother and child are doing nicely. But Isie has been having a hard time of it.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

"Make Hall's Family Pills for constipation."

Catarrh of Stomach Did Not Know It

Mrs. Selena Tanner, Athens, Ohio, writes: "I cannot find words to express my thanks for your kind advice. I never once thought I had catarrh of the stomach. I commenced taking Peruna, as you directed. My stomach continued to hurt me for about two weeks after I began the medicine, and then it stopped. I now have a good appetite, while before I was nearly starved."

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.

Nearly Starved

PERUNA Made Me Well

In Memory of Frank Helmke.

We, the teachers and pupils of N-W Fountain School, hereby wish to express our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family of Mr. Fritz Helmke, who sustained the loss of their beloved son and brother, Frank, on the 10th day of October, 1917. While words are inadequate to express our feeling, yet our hearts feel the loss of one who was our dear pupil and friend.

Be it therefore resolved that we give public expression of our sympathy and that a copy of this writing be sent to the loved ones.

HIS TEACHERS AND SCHOOLMATES.

Notice to Applicants for Teachers' Certificates.

There will be a special Teachers' Examination held at the Court House October 19th and 20th for First and Second Grade Certificates. All applicants be at the Court House at 8:00 a. m.

W. N. SAATHOFF,
Co. Supt. Medina Co. Schools.

Subscribe for this paper.

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

Tells how to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts out without pain.

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn or callus the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn or callus, root and all, lifts off with the fingers.

Freezone dries the moment it is applied, and simply shrivels the corn or callus without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but will positively rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or hardened callus. If your druggist hasn't any freezone he can get it at any wholesale drug house for you.

INDIGESTION

If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you

should. Belching, sour stomach and bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by it. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a gentle movement of the bowels, relieving the constipated condition. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most excellent for biliousness. Sold everywhere at 25c.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES YOUR LIVER! MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver

Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

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LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

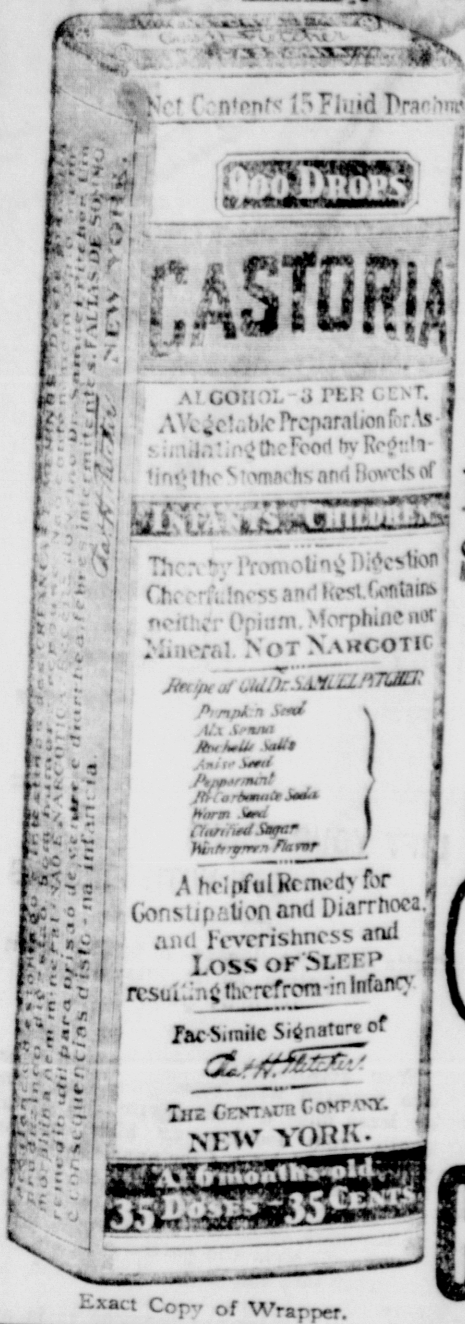
Meadersville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak..."

I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few

doses of Black-Draught."

Seventy years of successful use has made Thedford's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member, of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cent a dose. All druggists.

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(Signed) FLETCHER DAVIS.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of October 1917.
(Seal) A. M. LAMM, Justice of the Peace and Ex-Officio Notary Public for Medina, Co., Texas. (My commission expires November 1918.)

S. D. ROGERS HAS
GAINED 20 POUNDS.
Prominent Business Man Says He Couldn't Walk Up a Flight of Stairs Without Giving Out.

"Honestly, I haven't felt as strong and well in years as I do since taking Tanlac," said S. D. Rogers, residing at 509 East Seventh street, Oklahoma City, in an interesting interview a few days ago. Mr. Rogers is secretary and treasurer of the Southern United Sales Company, distributors of Safety Vulcanizers.
"I have actually gained twenty pounds in weight on six or seven bottles and I couldn't ask to feel better," continued Mr. Rogers. "I had suffered from indigestion and nervousness for five years and at times I was completely out of commission. Everything I ate would ferment on my stomach and the gas pressure around my heart was so great I couldn't walk up and down a short flight of steps without giving out. I was almost afraid to go to bed at night as I was so nervous and short of breath it kept me uneasy all the time. My whole system seemed to give way. I fell off twenty-five or thirty pounds in weight and nothing did me any good."
"I got some Tanlac last July in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, and since that time I have improved in every way. A few bottles set me right and I have been in fine shape ever since. I am eating just anything I want and the fact that I have increased so much in weight shows how well my food agreed with me. My nerves are quiet now, I sleep fine every night and I am convinced that Tanlac has put me on my feet for good. I suffered a long time and had awful pains, but they are all gone now and I'm proud to tell what Tanlac has done for me."

There are thousands of men and women in just the same condition as Mr. Rogers. This is especially true of men and women whose business forces them to remain indoors and who fail to get the proper kind of exercise. Such people soon develop improper digestion, the blood becomes impure, the system is filled with impurities and they suffer from nervousness, loss of appetite, headaches and sleeplessness.
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Cancer a Blood Disease.
Dr. O. A. Johnson, who has been pursuing scientific cancer research for a number of years was among the first investigators to announce cancer as a blood disease. The doctor has published a new illustrated book in which he explains the cause of cancer and describes symptoms in various locations and stages of development. Also many reports of cases treated during the past 17 years are given in evidence of the success of his method of treatment, which is entirely non-surgical. This valuable book ought to be in the hands of every cancer sufferer. For a free copy address Dr. O. A. Johnson, Suite 560, 1320 Main St., Kansas City, Mo.

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If you are weak, lame and tired,
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A remedy especially for sick kidneys. Endorsed in Hondo by your friends and neighbors.
E. M. James, retired farmer, Hondo, says: "I came down with an attack of kidney trouble and the passages of the kidney secretions became far too frequent so that I was compelled to get up several times at night. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Windrow's Drug Store and they gave me prompt relief. Two more boxes entirely removed the trouble and I have had no kidney trouble since."
Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. James had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

The splendid weather and good roads enticed many people to an overland auto-trip. In many cases the aim was to go to a place where a good range for goats was to be seen, where pecans were plentiful, or where vegetables grow in abundance. One auto with four Hondo passengers started out to Leakey Saturday evening with 10 gallons of fuel. They halted at the ranch of Chas. Geuca at Leakey, after some inevitable break downs, in the night. The young men enjoyed the mountain scenery, the pretty springs and the irrigated gardens as well as the eating of fresh pecans very much. However, they had to go back home. But alas! the gasoline gave out on the way. On Sunday's dealers close up their stores. The boys had to walk some two miles to a house where they procured some kerosene oil to feed the motor. Stores closed at Sabinal. At last some auto-owner took pity upon and gave the boys enough gasoline to reach Hondo late in the night. They had fresh vegetable for dinner Monday and have been cracking pecans since.

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Remember, the Anvil Herald wants a correspondent from every neighborhood in the county. Send in the neighborhood happenings. Your communication in many instances would be as much appreciated as a personal letter by your friends in other parts of the county.

Louis Jungmann says his cotton in the sand is bending with bolls, some stalks not open at all yet. His peanut crop is very fine. This has been the year for the sand and Louis knows just how to tickle the sand to make it do its best.—The Devine News.

Jac Vogel of D'Hanis had an accident in the cotton gin there by getting his hand hurt in the machinery. He received prompt medical treatment here Tuesday and Wednesday and returned home confident of improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Heineke and daughter, Elsie, autoed to Uvalde on a visit with their aunt, Mrs. L. Miller, arriving home late Monday morning. They enjoyed the overland trip in this part of the country.

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meters behind the trench
There were five of us,
and a doctor, besides a
of orderlies, in a tiny stone
selected chiefly because it was
a hollow, out of sight of the
of brother Boche, and the
with a roof for many
Three of us slept by day in the
over the outhouse . . . the
made dressings and took her
night.
had become so hardened to the
of the guns, that it took quite
cannonding to lure us out to
the shells dropping over the
The busiest time was at
when the Hun sings a special
note, before he subsides for his
sleep. The darkness brought
the procession of stretcher-
up from the communicating
that would back and forth
own. The men were laid on
the earthen floor of the sta-
two of us, as fast as they
cut off clothing, bound up
wounds and gave them water
some we never even touched,
morning there would be
grave in the cemetery be-
wood by the door. As
were ready, they were passed
the only room that the house
where the doctor, assisted by
nurse, operated, or dressed,
case required . . . then
were shifted into the ambulances
lashed up to the door all night
and hurried away to the base,
sanitary trains . . . I have
hundred brought in in a
one still, sunny day in April,
a bright-eyed German sniper,
his roost in a tree, must have
our Red Cross, floating from
and communicated our range
quarters. I remember think-
I climbed the ladder, dog-tired,
left, how unusually peaceful
under the blue spring sky.
peace! I was dragged out
and sleep an hour later, by an
who announced that the doc-
thought that the 'Saunders Boches'
giving for us, and that we were
at once . . . they had
telephoned for the ambu-
ing for us! I thought it looked
like success! As I came down,
shined in my ear, and sheared
the cottonwood; the time
into that house would have
and the heart of a track coach!
and some twenty men in there,
by the time the first ambulance
up, they were ready, wrapped in
led them in, spurred on by
terribly close plops! . . .
lamps! behind us . . . no one
to look . . . sightseeing
at healthy just then! Doctor X.
three orderlies were taking down
spending table, and gathering up
instruments . . . we women
into the next-to-last car, and
the head of a wounded man
tries to ease the jolts.
We couldn't have gone more than
feet, when something dropped out
with a shriek, and the whole
fell apart in a geyser of
and timber, overturning the mo-
top of the driver (incidentally
his life) and riddling our can-
up with debris. Instinctively,
I dropped my head on the breast
of a soldier on my knee, but as the
of fragments subsided, he
me by the arm. 'Madame,'
he said, 'voilà le drapeau!'
I followed his finger. . . Over
smoking ruins, against the sunset,
on its staff, still floated our
with its blood-red cross!"—Caro-
l Weed.

A QUESTION



"How much do you think he's worth?"
"Are you asking about his efficiency or his financial condition?"
"Would seem That Way."
"Duffer—You know, it has just occurred to me that a doctor must be worth all the time."
"Duffer—What makes you think that, old tank?"
"Duffer—Well, he has to treat all his patients, doesn't he?"

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TEXAS ORGANIZED TO AID IN RAISING \$35,000,000 WAR WORK FUND

Greater Good Than Red Cross, Says One Worker, Because Makes Men Better in Spirit

What the Red Cross is to the imperiled bodies of our soldiers the Y. M. C. A. war work is to their endangered morals.

In every training camp, at every post, along the front line trenches, the Young Men's Christian Association has its workers, its buildings, its equipment for varied wholesome amusements and its uplifting spiritual influence.

Texas is being organized to secure its allotment of the \$35,000,000 national war work fund of the association. Under the direction of L. A. Coulter, Dallas, representative men are being secured for departmental conferences to be held in every section of the state, following the state gathering at Dallas on Oct. 30. The campaign will continue through Nov. 11-19, and the budget planned will maintain the war work to July 1st, 1918.

Raising Morale of Men

Napoleon used to say that morale is to other factors in war as three to one. The Y. M. C. A. War Work Council proposes to devote itself exclusively to raising, strengthening and preserving the morale of our men and of the Allied countries.

An outstanding leader of the Red Cross said: "One reason why I believe your Y. M. C. A. work is ever more important than ours is that you are not only supplementing what we do here and there for the bodies of men, but you are dealing also with that more vital factor, the moral, the spirit of the troops."

HOW TO SECURE A LIBERTY BOND.

You are satisfied that it is your duty to yourself and to your country to buy a Liberty Bond. Now you want to know just how to secure one. Go to any bank, sign an application form for the bond of the value desired.

The bonds are of the following values: \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000.

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Forty per cent on Jan. 15, 1918.
You can pay in full at time of application for any bond up to the value of \$1,000 if you wish.

If you care to pay for your bond in full at the time of application you can have your bond by about Oct. 10. If you pay by installments you will receive your bond as soon as you have finished paying for it.

The bonds are free from Federal, State or local taxes. In the case of wealthy people who pay income surtaxes, and hold bonds of over \$5,000, there is a small tax, but as far as the average man is concerned they are tax free.

The interest on the bonds is 4 per cent, payable to you on May 15 and Nov. 15 each year.

The bonds may be redeemed by the government in full on and after Nov. 15, 1927.

During the meantime the bonds may pass from one person to another almost as freely as a dollar bill does. There is very little difference between giving your check for a \$500 bill and giving it for a Liberty bond.

Any banker will handle your subscription and charge you nothing for the trouble.

Different Viewpoints.

"When I saw Smith last, he was crowing over his new car."
"When I saw him last, he was growling under it."

Remembrance of a Dear Friend, Mrs. Annie Fuos.

Dearest Friend, thou hast left us,
Left us, yes, forevermore;
But we hope to meet our loved one
On that bright and happy shore.

Lonely the house, and sad the hours
Since our dear one has gone;
But oh! a brighter home than ours
In heaven is now thy own.

Dearest Friend thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that has bereft us,
He can all our sorrow heal.

Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
When in heavenly joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tear is shed.

Farewell dear Friend, but not forever,
There will be a glorious dawn.
We shall meet, part no more
On the resurrection morn.

A person that was always willing to aid, the good that on earth can be done; the dear husband, the son and daughter she left are pained with sorrow and care to lose a dear mother and wife, from the home that was so fair. The sisters and brothers are burdened with grief to part from their sister forever. The grief stricken father and mother, she leaves, are lonely and sad since their daughter's kind voice is silent forever. 'Tis sad to have forever to part from the ones that we loved so dear, although we live in faith and hope to meet them in their Heavenly rest.

Dunlap, Tex. A FRIEND, L. B.

Philathea Class.

The last regular meeting of the Philathea Class was held at the house of the president, Mrs. J. G. Newton, Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 16th. Mrs. Liles led the lesson on "Christ's Life". At the previous meeting a motion was made and carried that a reasonable amount of testaments be donated to the Red Cross to be used in kits for the soldiers. The committee reported that two dozen was the number purchased for that purpose.

After the meeting closed, each and every one present declared Mrs. Liles a most excellent leader and the same compliment to Mrs. Newton as hostess.

The subject of the next lesson is the Resurrection. The place of meeting to be with Mrs. Frank Posey, Oct. 30th.

Junior League Program.

October 21, 3 p. m.

Leader, Murray Dilworth.

Bible reading, Luke 4, 16-18.

Song.

Lord's Prayer.

23rd Psalm repeated by the boys.

1st Psalm repeated by the girls.

Talk by Supt.

Lesson Story, Will Ernest Newton.

References from the Bible.

Song.

Benediction.

Answer roll call with Bible verse.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

Saturday, Oct. 13th.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid held their first business meeting with Mrs. Henderson. There were eight ladies present. After election of officers and plans discussed for the year's work, Mrs. Henderson served delicious beaten biscuits and tea. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Short, Saturday, 20th. Saturday 27th the ladies will serve lunch in the room under the Red Cross work rooms.

LOST—Red sow, weight about 170 pounds, hair rubbed off neck. For reward notify H. R. BAILEY. Phone 10-F 11. 12,tf

A teachers' examination is in progress at the County Superintendent's office with the following applicants taking the examination: Miss Florence Deckert, Miss Ola Fisher, Miss Flora Fisher, Mrs. H. G. Henderson, Mr. A. W. Graham, Mr. J. V. Blasy.

Mr. O. H. Miller, local representative of the Magnolia Petroleum Co., calls our attention to the fact that various members of the Texas Swine Breeder's Association have donated 25 hogs now on exhibit at the Dallas Fair to the Red Cross. The hogs are to be sold at auction at 2 o'clock, October 26th, and will no doubt bring a nice sum for the Red Cross.

Mrs. H. B. Taylor has received from the L. D. Caulk Co., manufacturers of dental specialties of Milford, Del., a Synthetic Cabinet, supplied with materials and instruments for doing porcelain filling, which was offered as first prize last year to the Tulane University of Louisiana, for the best porcelain filling work, and which was won by her son, Dr. O. B. Taylor, in competition with the rest of the student body. Dr. Taylor is now in the U. S. army.

WE MUST SAVE OR PERISH

Do you realize that the war calls for nearly half of the money that the people of this country will earn this year?

The money must be found, too.

Argument is useless. We must fight and win, or become slaves, as the poor people of France and Belgium have become.

We must work, save, and lend money to the Government.

Common sense and duty demand it.

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Call in and let us answer your questions and fix up an application for you.

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Cotton Statistics.

We are indebted to J. P. Lippold, gin statistician, for the following information: number of bales ginned up to September 25, 1917, 3,043; number of bales ginned up to same date last year, 6,602, showing the ginning record to be a little less than half this year as compared with the previous year. As this report only covers the cotton season up to September, the next report will undoubtedly show a greater disparity between the crop of the present year and the crop of the previous year, as the ginning season for this county was practically over on the date of the report, while the preceding year the ginning period extended much later into the season. Indications are that the final report for this year will not total more than one-third the crop of last year, and that crop was a rather short one.

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HOW DOES IT CONCERN ME?

A fair question, always. Let us think for a while how the War and the Liberty Loan concerns the farmer.

We went to war with Germany partly because the rulers of that country refused to let us send to Europe our ships laden with grain and cotton. They sunk the ships and cruelly murdered our sailors. Now suppose we allowed them to stop all our shipping, where would you be? None of your goods would be sold in foreign countries, with the result that you would get nothing like the prices which you get today. It is the enormous demand for what you produce, that is securing you high prices. If this demand were cut off down would go prices. This war is being waged partly that you may obtain fair prices for your goods.

Farmers have been kept down in the matter of prices quite long enough, and the government and the people of this country, are not going to let a foreign power interfere with their business—which is your business.

Having entered the war in order that we may have the right to send your goods to any part of the world what is going to happen if we lose the war? Prices of farm products will drop; the Germans will impose taxation upon you which will cripple you for the next twenty years. Worse than that, if the Germans get over here, they will treat you in just the same way as they have the farmers of Northern France and Belgium. In these sections farm houses have been shot to pieces, crops wasted and burned; even fruit trees chopped down, the cattle stolen, the men sent into slavery to work for German masters, their women ill-treated in ways that cannot be talked of in print, their little children have had their hands chopped off in order that they may never fight for their country, or do any more useful work again.

You may say "such things will not happen here." They said this in France and in Belgium. Such things will happen here just as sure as you are alive, unless we smash the Germans so that they are utterly unable to reach the shores of this country. The German fleet and the German army will take just one week to get here if we are beaten. They have made up their minds that America shall pay for this war. They have made up their minds that our wealthy men shall give their money, and that you farmers shall provide the food for their armies and their people at home.

After thinking over these facts, is there a farmer who will stand forward and say "This war does not concern me."

You have money that you do not need until next spring. Loan it to the government at good interest. When you want the money back again, you can borrow on your bond, or sell it for what you gave for it. Uncle Sam will take care of your money until you need it and pay you interest on it, and you will be protecting yourself and your business by loaning him the money.

Go and buy a Liberty Bond tomorrow. Don't put it off—things that are put off often do not get done at all. Tomorrow.

FOR WOMEN.

How does the war concern you? The mothers who have a boy who has gone to fight for his country, will not ask such a question. But if the war has not touched you yet, you may ask this question.

There are feelings that only mothers know, and only women understand. Think of the mothers who have given their eldest boy to their country. How do they feel today? How would you feel if you were in their place? They have parted with the little fellow that came first, and has always been a little ahead of the others in their love, because his was the first little tiny human form that lay against their breast; his were the first little hands that tugged at their hair. This other mother—the mother who has sent her boy to fight for YOUR protection, feels just the same way that you would about your boy.

She wants that boy back. Won't you help her bring him back? There are thousands of American mothers feeling badly today. Millions of French and English mothers, longing for their boys.

Husbands too, have gone by the million to fight for their country and yours, for YOUR protection. Don't you sympathize with these women? Your husband is not perfect, sometimes you get "real mad" with him, but you don't want him killed by German brutes. Think, then, how these other wives feel—they want their husbands back. Won't you help them bring their men back?

Yes, of course you would like to help them, "but how can I help?" you say.

Help end the war by buying a Liberty Bond. Save out of the house-keeping money for it, deny yourself something so you can buy it. Do more than this—see that your husband, your friends, your neighbors, buy a Liberty Bond. Show them this little "bit" in the paper, and say, "Let's all buy a Liberty Bond piece."

HOW TO EASE YOUR TAXES

This is a subject that interests every man. This war is costing a sum of money so great that no man can realize what such an amount means. We have to find eighteen hundred and one-half billion dollars during the first year of the war. Eighteen thousand Five Hundred Million Dollars. Think of it! But perhaps you had better not; it will only make your head go round, and you will not be any nearer to grasping the meaning of such an amount of money, when you have done thinking.

To get down to something you can understand, it means that every man in this country has to give up nearly half of what he earns this year.

The government is going to get this money, because it has to have it. Of course, it can tax your income, tax everything you eat and drink, your land and your cattle, and raise the money this way. However, this would be too hard on you, so the government has decided to ask you to loan some of the money, with Uncle Sam's own promise that he will pay you back, and pay you interest in the meantime. Uncle Sam's promise to pay is so good that his written promise in the form of a bond can be handed around from man to man, almost like a dollar bill. You don't mind giving a silver dollar in exchange for a bill, and you can feel just the same way about giving a cheque in exchange for a Government Bond.

NOW HERE IS THE POINT: JUST SO MUCH AS THE GOVERNMENT WILL ALLOW YOU TO LOAN TO THEM, SO MUCH LESS WILL THEY HAVE TO TAX YOU.

Looked at fairly and squarely, is it not better to loan money, rather than have it taken from you?

We are a level-headed people, and when things are put up to us in a straight-forward way by straight-forward people, we are ready to fall in line.

You know the facts now, straight from the U. S. Government.

You have money that you do not need until next spring. Lend it to Uncle Sam. If you must have it back next year, borrow on your bond, or sell it.

Your banker is a good man to talk to. You believe in him. Go and ask his opinion. He will tell you that he has bought Liberty Bonds, and he will advise you to do the same.

"LET THE OTHER FELLOW DO IT."

This is the thing that has caused so many failures, so much misery, so many deaths—"letting the other fellow do it." From the fall of great nations down to the smallest personal accident it is this policy that has been responsible for so many of the troubles of the world. Time after time "the other fellow" does not do it. The Liberty Loan is a case in point. It is absolutely useless to rely upon the other fellow, because the amount to be raised is so enormous that it will take the combined self-denial and effort of every man, woman, and child in this country, to provide the money.

This leads naturally to another thought. It is not enough that we merely subscribe. We must see that our neighbor subscribes, because if he falls down, we ourselves shall suffer, even although we may have done our share.

There are just a few people left in this country who say "let the rich man find the money." When the government has had its needs supplied, the rich man will not be so rich; his taxes will be enormous, and many a wealthy company struggling with the high cost of everything they use in their business, in addition to their taxation, will have a difficulty in securing profits for their shareholders. The profits of those making war supplies will be cut in half, at least, by government action. Again we must remember that our wealthy men invested millions and millions of dollars in the loan last time and will do it again. The average citizen must realize that the wealthy man is doing his share, and that it is to the farmer, the merchant and the working man that the country look for a large share of the subscriptions to the present loan.

"If you say 'let the other fellow do it,' the loan will fail, we shall be disgraced in the eyes of the world, the resistance to Germany of our allies may break down, and the most terrible thing in the world will happen to us—conquest by Germany. This would mean taxation beyond human endurance, national disgrace and having to work for German masters for years to come.

The Germans are not willing "to let the other fellow do it." Their boys of 14 and their old men of 50 are serving in the army, their women and their children are going short of food; they are giving up almost every cent they possess in order to beat this country. Surely we have more patriotism than the Germans, more sense—if not, then we deserve to be beaten.

Call in and see your banker and ask him whether this article contains the truth. He will tell you that it does, and will agree that it is a fatal thing in this great national crisis to "let the other fellow do it."



What Will Happen When the Well Goes Dry?

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